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SUBJECT: SYRIAN ATTACK ON BRITISH SHIP

REFERENCE: LONDON 5540

DURING CONVERSATIONS IN PAST TWO DAYS, FCO OFFICERS HAVE INFORMED US OF ADDITIONAL FACTOR IN CASE OF SYRIAN SHOOT-UP OF BRITISH CONTAINER SHIP CHESIRE VENTURE: SHIP HAD BEEN BLACK-LISTED BECAUSE EITHER IT OR SISTER-SHIPS OF ITS LINE HAD CALLED AT ISRAELI PORT UNDER CHARTER TO ZIM LINES.

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